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Disposition of Claims		:	
4) Claim(s) 1-10 is/are pending in the applicat	tion.		
4a) Of the above claim(s) is/are with			•
5) Claim(s) is/are allowed.			
6)⊠ Claim(s) <u>1-10</u> is/are rejected.	•		
7) Claim(s) is/are objected to.			
8) Claim(s) are subject to restriction an	nd/or election requirement.		
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9)☐ The specification is objected to by the Exam			
10)⊠ The drawing(s) filed on 11 December 2003			
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12) Acknowledgment is made of a claim for fore	eian priority under 35 U.S.(C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).	
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DETAILED ACTION

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 102

1. The following is a quotation of the appropriate paragraphs of 35 U.S.C. 102 that form the basis for the rejections under this section made in this Office action:

A person shall be entitled to a patent unless -

- (b) the invention was patented or described in a printed publication in this or a foreign country or in public use or on sale in this country, more than one year prior to the date of application for patent in the United States.
- 2. Claims 1-10 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by Martin et al. (5,692,302)

Martin et al. discloses the same invention including a shaving head (10) including a cap portion (22), at least one blade coupled to the shaving head (18) and defining a cutting edge extending longitudinally of and approximately parallel to the cap portion (16), a shaving composite coupled to the cap portion and defining a skin engaging surface (24), that the shaving composite includes a preventive (Abstract), that a portion of the preventive is capable of being transferable to a user's skin upon contact (24), that the cutting edge and surface are aligned (Fig. 11), that the preventive is contained in a water-soluble phase (24), that the preventive is a photoprotective agent (Column 4, lines 36-50), and in light of the apparatus rejection the method is inherent.

Conclusion

3. The prior art made of record and not relied upon is considered pertinent to applicant's disclosure. Bissett et al., Rogers et al., Tseng et al., Kweiecien et al., and Vreeland.

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4. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Jason Prone whose telephone number is 571-272-4513. The examiner can normally be reached on 7:30-5:00, Mon - (every other) Fri.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Allan N. Shoap can be reached on 571-272-4514. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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